

Remarks/Arguments:

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner Maury A. Audet for acknowledging the claim to §119 foreign priority and receipt of the certified copy and, further, for kindly suggesting claim amendments to render the claims allowable.

Claims 25-31, 33, and 34, presently amended, and claim 32, previously presented are pending.

Claims 1-24 are canceled, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Claims 25-34 were rejected under 35 USC 112, ¶2, for allegedly being indefinite. The rejection is overcome, in that the claims are amended, hereby, in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions for rendering the claims allowable.

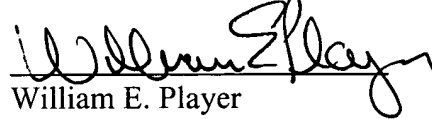
There being no unresolved issues of record, allowance of the subject application appears to be in order.

Favorable action is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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